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For: **LOAD BEARING VEHICLE FLOOR MATS**

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**
(37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of three (3) months to respond to the Office Action dated March 16, 2005.

2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

☒ is filed herewith.☐ has been filed.

3. Applicant:

☐ Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.☒ Does not claim small entity status.

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)):

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- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038) is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 50-0220 for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

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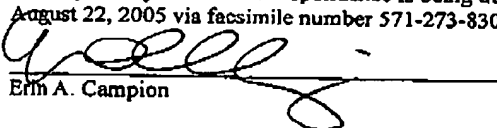


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